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1. REGRET DELAY IN REPLY TO REFTEL. NO SINGLE OR READILY AVAILABLE SET OF DOCUMENTS DISCUSSED UK TELECOMMUNICATIONS POLICY AND TECHNOLOGY. THE COMMERCIAL SIDE OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS IS THE PURVIEW OF THE UK POST OFFICE, WHILE THE UK DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE POST OFFICE, LOOKS AFTER THE BRITISH INDUSTRY AND TECHNOLOGY. WHAT MIGHT BE OF INTEREST IS THE REPORT TO BE PUBLISHED IN JULY OF THE INDEPENDENT POST OFFICE REVIEW COMMITTEE CHAIRED BY MR. CHARLES CARTER. IF A COPY IS DESIRED, EMBASSY COULD OBTAIN ONE FOR DEPT. WHEN IT IS PUBLISHED.

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2. THE TOP TWO PUBLICATIONS IN THIS AREA IN THE UK ARE:

(A) ELECTRONICS WEEKLY, IPC ELECTRICAL/ELECTRONIC PRESS LTD., DORSET HOUSE, STAMFORD ST., LONDON SE1, TEL: 261-8638, EDITOR ROGER WOOLNOUGH. WEEKLY WITH NEWSPAPER FORMAT. SINGLE COPY 10 PENCE; L YR. 6 POUNDS OR \$15.60; 3 YR. 15.30

POUNDS OR \$39.80. EXTREMELY WIDE CIRCULATION IN UK ON TECHNOLOGY AND THE STATE OF THE ART. IT IS THE LEADING PUBLICATION AND THE AUTHORITATIVE VOICE OF THE INDUSTRY. IT REFLECTS THE CLOSE LINKS OF THE UK INDUSTRY AND TECHNOLOGY WITH THE US.

(B) THE RADIO AND ELECTRONIC ENGINEER (OFFICIAL JOURNAL OF THE INSTITUTION OF ELECTRONIC AND RADIO ENGINEERS), 9 BEDFORD SQ., LONDON WC1B 3RG, TEL: 637-2771, EDITOR F. W. SHARP. MONTHLY IN MAGAZINE FORMAT. SINGLE COPY 1.50 POUNDS OR \$4.25; L YR. 18 POUNDS OR \$49.00; 2 YRS. 32 POUNDS OR \$88, 3 YRS. 45 POUNDS OR \$124. BASICALLY A JOURNAL FOR MEMBERS OF IERE BUT ALSO AVAILABLE TO NON-MEMBERS. TENDENCY TO MORE ACADEMIC ARTICLES COVERING ALL ASPECTS OF RADIO COMMUNICATIONS/ELECTRONICS INDUSTRY.

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